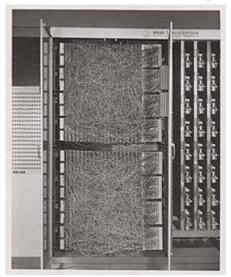
# **Neural Networks**

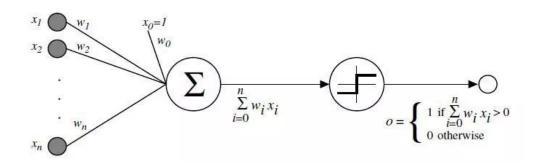
Week 5

# History a little bit...

Perceptron - a simple neuron which applies weighted sum to the features X, applies threshold function, and finalizes the binary classification process.

#### Created in 1958 by Frank Rosenblatt[1]





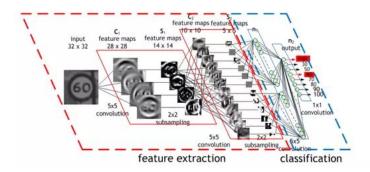
Source: https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Perceptron

### Starting to improve...

By the 1980s, the blossom happened. A neural network with one hidden layer can now be used as a universal function approximator(1989)[2]

Yann Lecun created a convolutional neural network, which can detect handwritten digits from an 28x28 image[3].

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# Going Deeper

ImageNet Large Scale Visual Recognition Challenge[4] has begun in 2010. The challenge is about classify more than 1000 categories.

In 2012, Alexnet[5] has achieved 16% top-5 error rate from 25%.

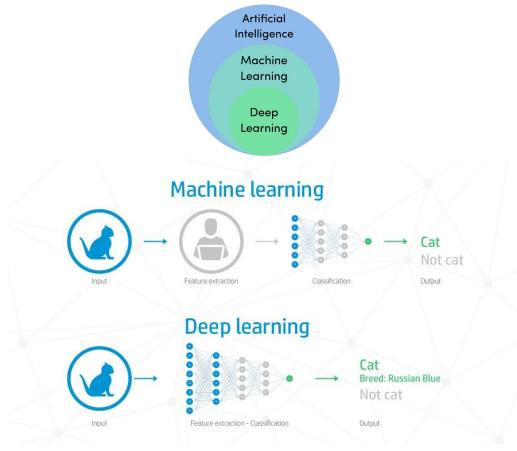
In 2014, Google submitted Inception V1[6] and got 6.67% top-5 error rate. Follow-up VGG-16[7] accomplished 7.3% top-5 error rate.

In 2015 ResNet[8], created by Microsoft Research team, got 3.57% error rate.

### What is Neural Network

Deep learning is a subpart of Machine Learning

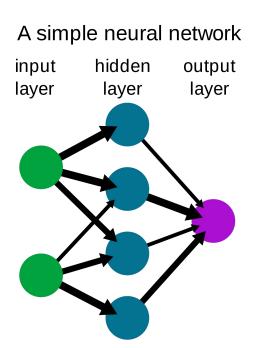
The main difference is, the model can be able to extract relevant features itself, and perform much more better with enough computation power and data.



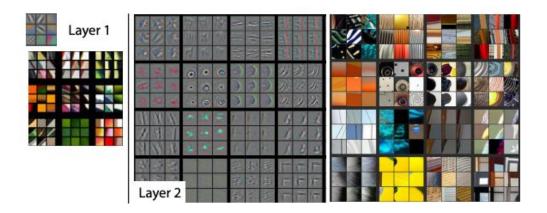
A neural network can be simply defined as image on right.

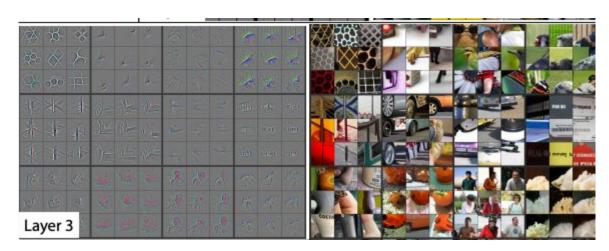
There are inputs which we provide, a hidden layer(s) that process the data, and finally an output layer.

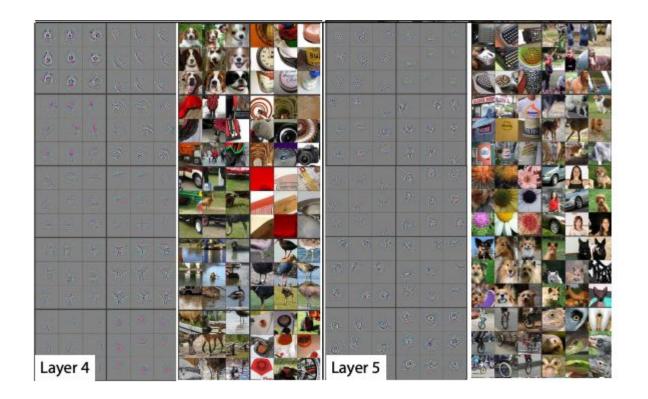
Every neuron inside the hidden layer is calculating a hidden feature that is beneficial for the model.



# What do they learn







#### **Forward Pass**

Start with the simplest function, which is a linear first order equation ax + b

We will compute this function at each neuron, the output of neuron located at first layer will be input for the neuron that is in second layer and similarly for 3rd layers...

But, by computing this straightforward, at the end we get a linear equation.

$$a_n(a_{n-1}(...(a_1X + b_1)...) + b_{n-1}) + b_n$$

$$AX + B$$

#### **Activation Functions**

The purpose to non-linearize the outputs of neurons to approximate more complex functions.

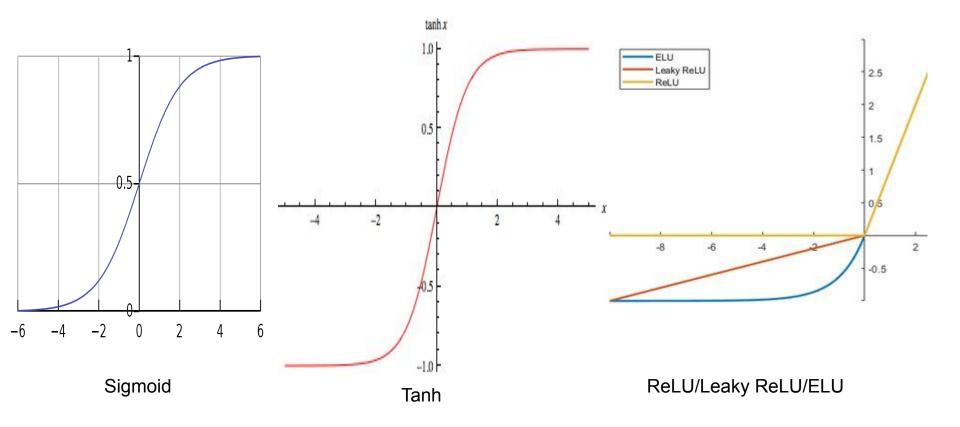
The are also help normalizing the outputs, and sometimes helps the model converge faster.

There are many activation functions, but the most popular ones are:

Sigmoid, Hyperbolic Tangent(tanh), ReLU, Leaky ReLU, Softmax,.

The others can be found here: <a href="https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Activation function">https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Activation function</a>

### Most heard activation functions



### Softmax Classifier

| Input pixels, ${f x}$ | Feedforward output, $\mathbf{y}_i$ |     |       |                     | Softmax output, $\mathbf{S}(\mathbf{y}_i)$ |      |       |  |
|-----------------------|------------------------------------|-----|-------|---------------------|--|------|-------|--|
| Forward propagation   | cat                                | dog | horse |                     | cat  | dog  | horse |  |
|                       | 5                                  | 4   | 2     | Softmax<br>function | 0.71                                       | 0.26 | 0.04  |  |
|                       | 4                                  | 2   | 8     |                     | 0.02                                       | 0.00 | 0.98  |  |
|                       | 4                                  | 4   | 1     |                     | 0.49                                       | 0.49 | 0.02  |  |

Shape: (3, 32, 32) Shape: (3,) Shape: (3,)

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